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In Re the Application of OLLI PIIRAINEN

Group Art Unit: 2616

Application No.: 10/080,509

Examiner:

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For: METHOD FOR IMPROVING THE QUALITY OF DATA TRANSMISSION

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In reviewing the PTO-1449 that was filed with an Information Disclosure Statement on December 4, 2006 (copy attached), Applicant noted that the U.S. patent number citation contained a typographical error. As this application was filed before June 30, 2003, a copy of the cited U.S. patent was attached to said Information Disclosure Statement when filed. Applicant respectfully requests that the incorrect citation of U.S. Patent No. 5,566,101 be disregarded. The WO reference is correctly cited on the December 4, 2006 PTO-1449 form and should be considered

Subsequently, Applicant submits a supplemental PTO-1449 containing the correct citation for U.S. Patent No. 5,566,191 (another copy attached) and respectfully requests that the Examiner return an initialed copy of the enclosed supplemental Form PTO-1449 to Applicant with the next Office communication to indicate that the corrected reference has been considered, per MPEP § 609.

Applicant is filing this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) as a final Office Action was issued on December 20, 2006. As part of the RCE filing, there is no fee required for filing this Information Disclosure Statement.

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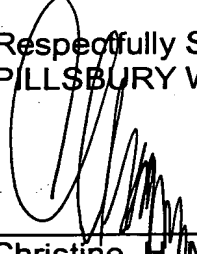
Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached PTO-1449. Unless otherwise indicated herein, one copy of each reference is attached. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner return an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 to Applicants with the next Office communication to indicate that the references have been considered, per MPEP § 609.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed more than three months after the U.S. filing date AND after the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits, but before the mailing date of a Final Rejection or Notice of Allowance.

I hereby certify that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. 37 CFR 1.97(e)(1).

These references were cited in a European Office Action, dated November 22, 2006, in a corresponding foreign application. EP Patent No. 0 866 578 was submitted in an Information Disclosure Statement on April 25, 2002.

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